In the Indiana Supreme Court

IN THE MATTER OF THE)
APPROVAL OF ALLOCATION)
OF JUDICIAL RESOURCES PLAN) Case No
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2005)
FOR LAKE SUPERIOR COURTS)

ORDER APPROVING ALLOCATION OF JUDICIAL RESOURCES PLAN FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2005 FOR LAKE SUPERIOR COURTS

The judges of the Lake Superior Court request the approval of an *Allocation of Judicial Resources Plan for Calendar Year 2005* pursuant to this Court's *Order for Development of Local Caseload Plans* of July 16, 1999, and this Court's July 29, 2004, Order requiring the Lake Superior Court to report on its caseload balancing efforts and make any necessary adjustments in its caseload allocation plan. Attached to this order is the proposed local caseload plan rule, towit: *Administrative Order Adopting the Allocation of Judicial Resources Plan for Calendar Year 2005*, signed by the Chief Judge of the Lake Superior Court on February 16, 2005, and filed with the Division of State Court Administration on February 18, 2005.

Upon examination of the local rule, this Court finds that the *Allocation of Judicial Resources Plan for Calendar Year 2005* substantially complies with this Court's *Order for Development of Local Caseload Plans*, and, accordingly, should be approved.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED by this Court that the *Allocation of Judicial Resources*Plan for Calendar Year 2005, set forth as an attachment to this Order, is now approved, effective

February 18, 2005.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a copy of this Order to the Chief Judge of

the Lake Superior Court, to the judges of each court of record in Lake County, and to the Clerk

of the Lake Circuit and Superior Courts.

The Clerk of the Lake Circuit and Superior Courts is directed to place a copy of this

Order in the Record of Judgments and Orders for each court of record in the county and to post

this Order for public examination.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this _____ day of May, 2005.

Randall T. Shepard Chief Justice of Indiana